

It’s Time to Nominate 2009 Outstanding Citizen

Dear Neighbor:

With Greenbelt’s Labor Day Festival rapidly approaching, all Greenbelters are asked to be on heightened alert for this year’s Outstanding Citizen. The process of identifying that special person in a city of citizen volunteers is difficult and requires input from citizens like you!

Some outstanding citizens are easily spotted because of their creative leadership and their high visibility within organizations. Or they may touch others in a quiet way and are characterized by a strong sense of compassion and a desire to serve.

While a Committee will select 2009’s Outstanding Citizen, that selection – the 37th since the award began in 1973 – is made from nominations submitted from the community. Help identify our City’s outstanding citizen by completing the nomination form (on page 12 of the News Review). Describe, in your own words, your nominee’s contributions or acts of kindness.

Nominations are due on August 3, 2009. The opening ceremonies of Greenbelt’s Labor Day Festival will include the announcement of Greenbelt’s Outstanding Citizen. Besides the recognition and congratulatory proclamations, the honoree serves as the Grand Marshall for the Labor Day Parade.

All of us have had the opportunity to be associated with individuals from Greenbelt who have distinguished themselves for their outstanding volunteer service to our community. Rarely do they receive the recognition they deserve. History indicates that many of Greenbelt’s Outstanding Citizens have been nominated several times before their selection. The Committee encourages nominators to be persistent.

We know we can count on you to keep this one of Greenbelt’s special events!

Bob Zugby, Chair
Outstanding Citizen Selection Committee
94 Ridge Road
Greenbelt, MD 20770
301-345-2065

Greenbelters Give Support To New Language Museum

by Gwen Turnbull

Greenbelt residents Rebecca Oxford, Richard Bates and Alan Turnbull, (father of the former city council member) as well as former resident Barbara Legerwood, decided to support a new venture when they joined the National Museum of Language (NML), currently housed in College Park. They all support the idea that the United States should have a museum dedicated to “promoting a better understanding of language and its role in history, contemporary affairs and the future.”

Although the museum opened its first exhibits only about a year ago, over the 11 years of its existence it has provided many educational opportunities through public lectures and a website at <http://www.languagemuseum.org/>. The museum has been supported largely by memberships, individual contributions and volunteering.

Barbara Legerwood, who has always been interested in languages, especially Italian, said she was happy to support the museum by her membership after learning about it several years ago from former coworkers.

The same was true of Alan Turnbull, a retired linguist. After

he joined he agreed to serve as secretary of the board of trustees. He says he is rewarded by seeing groups of young people and families who visit the museum and become interested in new aspects of language.

Richard Bates came to the museum by way of an Alaskan cruise and a Juneau bookstore. There he became interested in the culture and language of the Tlinget people. When his birthday came along later, he was given a present of museum membership to foster his new found interest.

Dr. Rebecca Oxford, a professor at the University of Maryland, is involved in the education of language teachers; she has presented “World Englishes” on the museum’s speakers series. (See Podcast 4 on the website.) She joined after enjoying the intellectual collegiality at the NML’s annual dinners and also because the late Dr. Dora Kennedy, a founder of the museum, was a longtime special friend and colleague.

Annual Dinner

The museum’s 11th annual dinner will offer a special tribute to Kennedy, who will be remembered

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Past Outstanding Citizens Are A Distinguished Bunch

2009	????????????????
2008	Leonie Penney
2007	Barbara Likowski
2006	Marsha Voigt
2005	Jay Remenick
2004	Patricia "Patti " Brothers
2003	Emory A. Harman
2002	Virginia W. Beauchamp
2001	Konrad Herling
2000	Leta Mach
1999	Rena Hull
1998	Lawrence H. Hilliard
1997	Michael F. Vaccaro
1996	Paul Rall
1995	Ottillie Van Allen
1994	Mary Linstrom
1993	Dorothy P. Pyles
1992	Michael Burchick
1991	Benjamin Rosenzweig
1990	Joyce Chestnut
1989	Florence Holly
1988	Bruce Bowman
1987	Sandra Barnes
1986	David Lange
1985	Mary Lou Williamson
1984	José Morales
1983	Albert Herling
1982	Charles Schwan
1981	William Hoff
1980	Clara Brandt
1979	Ralph Noble
1978	James Cassels
1977	Leo Gerton
1976	Kenneth Buker
1975	Henry Fisher
1974	Elaine & Alfred Skolnik
1973	Albert Cousin

What Goes On

Monday, June 22
8 p.m., Regular City Council Meeting Municipal Building (Live on Comcast 71, Verizon 21 and streaming live at www.greenbeltdmd.gov)

Wednesday, June 24
8 p.m., City Council Work-session with Prince George’s County’s Economic Development Corporation (stakeholder) at Community Center. This schedule is subject to change. (For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000 or contact the City Clerk at cmurray@greenbeltdmd.gov)

Thursday, June 25
7:30 p.m., Board Meeting GDC and GHI, GHI Board Room.

Council Debates Choices On Plans for Purple Line

by Barbara Hopkins

After considerable debate that was at times contentious, the Greenbelt City Council decided on June 8 to reaffirm its support for construction of a light rail version of the Purple Line extension of the Washington Metro rail. The sole dissenter to this decision was Councilmember Rodney Roberts.

Councilmember Edward Putens was not present to vote, though he had supported a light rail option at a worksession on the topic held June 3.

Background

The concept of a Purple Line connecting Bethesda with New Carrollton without a transfer in the District of Columbia has been under discussion for over a decade. Members of the Greenbelt City Council have largely supported the idea of a mass transit inter-county connector rather than a connecting highway.

As plans for the Purple Line developed, considerable public and private debate developed over various options, including light rail versus bus rapid transit, the choices of routes and investment alternatives with varying needs for infrastructure improvements. The option currently favored by officials and governing bodies of both Prince George’s and Montgomery Counties is a light rail option using the Georgetown Branch right-of-way, which was purchased by Montgomery County in 1988 for future development of a railway and recreation trail. It is currently used for the Capital Crescent Trail, a hiker/biker trail. The Columbia Country Club of Chevy Chase has for years been using a part of this right-of-way contiguous to its property.

Environmental Issues

The controversy over this route involves environmental impacts, including tree loss, noise, the possible lowering of property values and effects on the Capital Crescent Trail. This route will also bisect the Columbia Country Club, whose members favor the bus rapid transit (BRT) route along Jones Bridge Road, even though commute times with this option would be longer than with a light rail version.

The Town of Chevy Chase also supports a BRT along Jones Bridge Road and strongly opposes the inner light rail alignment. The Montgomery County Council is on record as opposing that route and favoring a light rail system.

Council’s Worksession

The Greenbelt City Council worksession on June 3 had explored support for the Purple Line light rail. Representatives from two organizations with opposing views on the current inner Purple Line alignment attended the spirited discussion to share their ideas.

Pam Browning represented the

coalition Save the Trail, which has gathered more than 18,000 signatures on a petition to preserve the Capital Crescent Trail by using the BRT/Jones Bridge option or by moving the Purple Line to another location or tunneling it underground. It opposes the current proposal because of the impacts to the trail and disagrees with some assessments of the benefits to the community of light rail.

Save the Trail’s website also suggests the Purple Line loop, which would connect Bethesda with Silver Spring with service to the Bethesda Medical Center, a stop not directly served by the Georgetown Branch alignment.

Harry Sanders attended from Purple Line NOW, a social welfare organization aligned with a group called the Coalition for Smarter Growth that advocates for an inner Purple Line. The organization says on its website that it is working to extend and improve the Capital Crescent Trail and connect it to another trail in Silver Spring. It avers that light rail is compatible with the trail and the trail will actually become safer.

The differing viewpoints seem to have little in common but the desire to increase mass transit in the Washington region. Background material prepared for council by Community Planner Amy Hofstra says about 1.5 acres of the Georgetown Branch would be lost with any of the six proposals for the Purple Line. The BRT along Jones Bridge Road is the only option that would not impact the Capital Crescent Trail.

Construction of the transit route will create a dedicated right of way for the trail, eliminating 14 intersection crossings currently in place. The Washington Area Bicyclist Association supports an alignment that creates such improvements to the trail.

The Montgomery County Master Plan has for decades included the Georgetown Branch alignment for transit, while the alignment on Jones Bridge Road has never been part of that plan. According to Hofstra, it is strongly opposed by residents of that area.

Reduce Car Use

All six of the proposed alternatives would reduce miles traveled in automobiles but improvements to air quality and carbon dioxide emissions are expected to be minimal. Noise from the trains would be addressed through the addition of train skirts.

Rail transit has some benefits over bus transit. Additional cars can be added to a train without employing an extra driver. Light rail would provide shorter travel times and greater reliability, since it would use a dedicated right of

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Congratulations to:

– ERHS graduate Andre Golson, who has received a service academy appointment to the Air Force Academy by Senator Benjamin Cardin.

– Abigail Bates, who graduated summa cum laude from the University of Mary Washington in Fredericksburg, Va., with a double major in psychology and Spanish. Abigail, a member of Phi Beta Kappa, is the daughter of Richard and Dorrie Bates and the granddaughter of Jim and the late Frances Bates.

– Lynn Hull, daughter of Greenbelters Rena and Larry Hull, who successfully defended her Dissertation at Virginia Commonwealth University on Friday, June 12. She will receive a PhD in Pharmacology and Toxicology at the next VCU graduation ceremony in December. The title of her dissertation is “Enzymatic Regulation of Opioid Antinociception and Tolerance.”

– The three Greenbelt students: Brian O’Neill of Greenbelt Elementary, Bella Juwita of Springhill Lake and Amarachi Ibe of St. Hugh’s, who were winners in the “If I Were Mayor” contest.

– 1991 ERHS graduate Army Sgt. 1st class Shane R. Masters, who received an associates degree from Central Texas College of Killeen, Texas, participating in the first college graduation ceremony at the Al Faw Palace at Camp Victory, Baghdad. He was one of 79 students from 21 schools to receive a degree after completing online courses and core classes in a classroom setting. Masters’ regular assignment is in Bamberg, Germany. He has served in the military for 17 years.

Best wishes to Begum Tongun, who has returned to her home in Istanbul, Turkey, after spending almost a year with host Linda Curtis as part of the Global Insights exchange student program. Begum completed her sophomore year at ERHS, where she was active in the drama program and made many friends in Greenbelt.

Send us your reports of new babies, awards, honors, etc. to share with our readers. We’d especially like to hear more from our neighbors in Greenbelt East and Greenbet West (Springhill Lake/Empirian Village). To send information for “Our Neighbors” email us at newsreview@greenbelt.com or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

– Kathleen McFarland

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• WEEK OF JUNE 19 •

• Summer Hours (NR) •

• Friday •

• *5:15, 7:30, 9:30 •

• Saturday •

• *3, *5:15, 7:30, 9:30 •

• Sunday •

• *3, *5:15, 7:30 •

• Monday - Thursday •

• *5:30, 7:30 •

• *These shows at \$6.00 •

• 301-474-9744 • 301-474-9745 •

• 129 Centerway •

• www.pandgtheatres.com •

Summer Science Classes At St. Hugh’s School

by Mary Moien

What lurks in Greenbelt Lake? Who put gum on the principal’s desk? Is there a (mock) bacterial outbreak in the school? If these questions interest Greenbelt students, St. Hugh’s might be the place to be for the next two weeks.

St. Hugh’s School is offering Science in the Summer, a two-week evening program starting June 22 for students entering the 6th, 7th and 8th grades. Mary Larkin, adjunct professor of biology at Anne Arundel Community College, is coordinating the program. Larkin is volunteering her time to draw attention to the school’s science program. Tuition collected will be used for the enrichment program and the science program.

The summer offering is designed to get students interested in science (particularly biology) and to draw attention to the science program at St. Hugh’s. Students from St. Hugh’s, Greenbelt Elementary and Friends Community School are currently registered.

Planned Activities

Activities include hiking to Greenbelt Lake to assess water quality, performing a DNA extraction and agarose gel (gum) electrophoresis, investigating a mock bacteria outbreak and making root beer.

A few openings are available. For more information contact Larkin at memlarkin@hotmail.com.


Fun Fair

The school is also planning to celebrate July 4 with a fun fair adjacent to the school. It will include clowns, a bike decorating contest, a patriotic pet contest, face painting, bingo, a used book sale, entertainment, food and more. See ad below.

Spring Bird Walk

Prince George’s Audubon Society hosts a half-day spring bird walk on Saturday, June 20 at 7:30 a.m. at Governor Bridge Natural Area, Governor Bridge Road, Bowie. The walk is for beginners and experts. Waterproof footwear and binoculars are suggested. Meet at the parking lot for this free event.

Call 410-765-6482 for more information.



NOTICE TO GHI MEMBERS

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

GDC & GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS’ MEETING

Thursday, June 25, 2009

GHI BOARD ROOM, 7:30 PM

GDC Key Agenda Items:

- North State Bank Corporate Resolution
- EZ pay Drawings Discussion
- Internet Service for the Guest House

GHI Key Agenda Items:

- 2009 Parking Lot Repair Contract – 2nd Reading
- Greenhill Outfall Stabilization Plan Update – Terri Hruby & Lesley Riddle
- Yard Line Certifications: 14W-Z3 Hillside, 58B-L and 60B-J Crescent Road
- Companion Animal Committee Presentation: Disaster Plan
- Reverse Share Loan Proposal
- Verizon FIOS Agreement
- Review Committee Task List
- 501(c)(3) Formation: Mission, Vision and Purpose
- North State Bank Resolution

Regular Board meetings are open to Members

For more information, visit our website - www.ghi.coop



4th of July

Fantabulous Fun Fair!

10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Races * Tournaments * Games

Crafts * Face painting * Moonbounce

Pony Rides * Book Sale * Bake Sale

Rummage Sale * Vendors * Texas BBQ

Silent Auction * Bicycle Decorating Contest

Patriotic Pet Contest * Entertainment

Science Demonstrations * Much, Much, More!

Come Join The Fun!!

St. Hugh’s Church & School

135-145 Crescent Road

Greenbelt, MD 20770

See our website for event schedules and registration details

www.sthughs.com

Rain date, July 5th, Noon – 8:00 p.m.

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DEADLINES: Letters, Articles and ads—10 p.m. Tuesday. Materials for publication may be mailed to address above, deposited in our box in the Co-op grocery store (by 7 p.m. Tuesday) or brought to our office in the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, during office hours. Mail subscriptions—\$35/year.

Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.

Community Events

At the Library

Storytimes

A librarian will read age-appropriate stories.

Tuesday, June 23, 10:30 a.m., Cuddletime for newborns to 17 months old with caregiver, limit 15 babies.

Wednesday, June 24, 10:30 and 11 a.m., Toddlertime for ages 18 to 35 months with caregiver, limit 15 children for each group.

Thursday, June 25, 10:30 a.m., Drop-in Storytime for ages three to five years, limit 20 children.

Caregivers are asked to pick up a free ticket at the Children’s Desk.

Ice Cream Social

Tuesday, June 23, 7 p.m., Summer Reading Kick Off for all ages. Learn about summer reading activities and programs. Top it off with ice cream sundaes. All minors must be accompanied by adult caregivers to be served ice cream.

GHI Notes

Monday, June 22, 7 p.m., Buildings Committee Meeting – Board Room

Tuesday, June 23, 7 p.m., New Member Social – Board Room

Wednesday, June 24, 7:30 p.m., Companion Animal Committee – GHI Lobby

Thursday, June 25, 7:30 p.m., Board Meeting – Board Room

Friday, June 26, Offices Closed. Emergency maintenance available. Call 301-474-6011.

Sunday, June 28, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Sustainable Design & Practices Committee Workshop – Board Room

Monday, June 29, 7:15 p.m., Pre-purchase Orientation – GHI Lobby

Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

Meeting to Discuss City Observatory

Join members of the Astronomical Society of Greenbelt for a wide-ranging discussion of the recently dedicated City of Greenbelt Observatory. The society, which has hosted several events, would like to share its ideas on the opportunities this facility provides for residents of Greenbelt and neighboring communities. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 25 in Room 103 at the Greenbelt Community Center. All are welcome.

Co-op Hosts Packing A Healthy Picnic

On Wednesday, June 24 from 7 to 8 p.m., the Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative will host a program to help consumers learn how to pack a healthy picnic or create a nutritious potluck dish. Co-op staff members Kim Rush Lynch and Ellen Siegel will offer participants recipe ideas for tasty menus that include healthy dessert and beverage options for a fun summer outing.

The event is part of the ongoing “Shop Healthy Series” at the Co-op. Attendance is free and open to all.

Golden Age Club

by Bunny Fitzgerald

The Golden Age Club enjoyed a free movie at the Old Greenbelt Theatre on Saturday, June 13. Delegate Justin Ross of the 22nd District spoke at our meeting on June 10 and invited us to the movie “My Life in Ruins.” He gave an informative talk and answered questions about budget problems and other bills and committees in process at this time. We thank him for working for Greenbelt.

On June 24 we’ll play bingo for prizes.

June 25 we go to see “There Goes the Bride” at the Rainbow Dinner Theater in Pennsylvania.

A reminder for the people going on the trip in September – the final payment is due at the first meeting in July.

Let’s all enjoy these lovely summer days. Remember, school is out, so drive carefully and watch out for children.

CARES Offers Babysitting Course

On Wednesday, July 8 from 1 to 4 p.m. Greenbelt CARES will offer a summer session babysitting course. The course will be held in the second floor Council Room of the City Municipal Building, located at 23 Crescent Road.

The course is free and each student will receive a packet of material to keep. The course is targeted for students who have completed grades 5 through 8 and teaches students the safety and responsibility issues of babysitting.

Parents and students wanting additional information and enrollment can call Greenbelt CARES Youth and Family Services Bureau, 301-345-6660, ext. 2016.

Free Cooking Demo At Farmers Market

This Sunday, June 21 the Greenbelt Farmers Market will feature a free cooking demonstration by local chef Ellen Siegel. Siegel will showcase how to use market ingredients to make three recipes. Come learn how to make dishes such as chorizo with sweet onions and mango and fresh veggie skewers.

The demonstration is part of the Chef at Market program which will be held monthly throughout the market season and is supported in part by a grant from the Greenbelt Community Foundation.

The Greenbelt Farmers Market is located in the parking lot between the Municipal Building and Roosevelt Center every Sunday between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Caregiver Support Group to Meet

The Caregiver Support Group will meet in the Greenbelt Community Center, Room 103, on Tuesday, June 23. All are welcome to attend this monthly gathering of caregivers. This free support group is hosted by Rosemary Allendar, LCSW, and meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Join the group members as they solve day-to-day caregiving issues, learn about new resources and get expert advice from their group facilitator. For more details contact Christal Bathey at 301-345-6660, ext. 2012.

Green Ridge House Has 30th Anniversary

In honor of the 30th anniversary of Green Ridge House, Mayor Judith Davis presented a proclamation from the city commemorating the event, held on-site Sunday, June 14.

James Hudson and Louise Swiderski were recognized by Davis as 30-year residents of the senior apartment complex. “We greet the residents of Green Ridge House as valued, contributing and very welcome citizens of our city,” Davis said.

After years of effort by the citizens of Greenbelt cooperating with city, state and federal governments, the first residents moved into Green Ridge House, with a dedication ceremony held on June 3, 1979.

Crazy Quilt Music Fest Is June 27

On Saturday, June 27 the New Deal Café presents the Crazy Quilt Music Festival, an all-day free outdoor event in Roosevelt Center featuring some 20 different musical acts. Opening at 10 a.m. with a Kids Open Microphone session hosted by festival organizer Joe Harris, the festival will showcase a wide variety of music from folk to rock to electronic to experimental to bossa nova with several groups showcasing Greenbelt musicians. The program will continue until 10 p.m. Visit the Café website at www.newdealcafe.com and the ad that will appear in the News Review next week for more details.

Yard Sale to benefit Church HUMANITARIAN FUND
Sat., 6/20, 8am to 1pm. 8E Plateau Pl., Greenbelt
Children's toys, books, videos, misc. items.

Menu for Senior Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition “Food and Friendship” program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals need to be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for June 22 through 26 include:

Monday – Creamy celery soup, wild salmon with creamy dill sauce, Brussels sprouts, rice pilaf, fresh melon.

Tuesday – Grape juice, oven-fried chicken, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, banana pudding.

Wednesday – Minestrone soup, seafood pasta salad, lettuce and tomato salad, beets with onions, fresh apple.

Thursday – Orange juice, meat lasagna, green salad, California mixed vegetables, yellow jello with fruit.

Friday – All sites closed – flea market.

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R = ID Required
(!) = No pass, (!!) No pass weekend

Week of June 19


FRI. - SAT.
Night at the Museum 2, PG-13
11:30, 2, 4:30, 7:15, 9:35
The Proposal, PG-13 (!)
11:30, 2, 4:30, 7:15, 9:45
Imagine That, PG (!)
11:20, 1:50, 4:20, 7:05, 9:35
Taking of Pelham 123, R (!)
11:20, 11:50, 1:50, 2:50, 4:20, 5:20, 7:05, 7:50, 9:45, 10
The Hangover, R (!!)
11:40, 2:40, 5:10, 7:40, 10:15
Year One, PG-13 (!)
11:40, 2:40, 5:10, 7:40, 10:15
Up, PG
11:50, 2:50, 5:20, 7:50, 10

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The Proposal, PG-13 (!)
11:30, 2, 4:30, 7:15
Imagine That, PG (!)
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Taking of Pelham 123, R (!)
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The Hangover, R (!!)
11:40, 2:40, 5:10, 7:40
Year One, PG-13 (!)
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Up, PG
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MON. - TUE.
Night at the Museum 2, PG-13
12:30, 2:45, 5:20, 7:45
The Proposal, PG-13 (!)
12:30, 2:50, 5:20, 7:45
Imagine That, PG (!)
12:20, 2:45, 5:20, 7:45
Taking of Pelham 123, R (!)
12:20, 12:45, 2:45, 3:25, 5:20, 5:50, 7:45, 8:15
The Hangover, R
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Year One, PG-13 (!)
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Up, PG
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WED. - THUR.
Taking of Pelham 123, R (!)
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The Proposal, PG-13 (!)
12:30, 2:50, 5:20, 7:45
Transformers 2, PG-13 (!)
12:15, 12:45, 3:30, 4, 7, 7:30
Imagine That, PG (!)
12:20, 2:45, 5:20, 7:45
Year One, PG-13 (!)
12:40, 3:25, 5:50, 8:15
The Hangover, R
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For more Community Events see pages 2, 4, 6 and 8.




Tickets can be reserved by calling
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BY JOSEPH HELLER

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Cub Scouts Have Graduation Camp Out

by Gary Sanderson

Greenbelt Cub Scout Pack 202 held its Graduation Campout at Greenbelt Park from June 5 through 7. The rain stopped on Friday and the weekend was beautiful. About 70 people attended a weekend of activities which included orienteering with Leave No Trace cards supplied by REI of College Park, exploring the woods, playing games and just having fun outdoors.

The highlight of the weekend was the campfire activities where the cubs were presented the following awards:

Tigers: Cody Balot, Maps and Compass Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; Tyler Clarke, Maps and Compass Belt Loop and Astronomy Pin, Campfire 2009; James Dawson, Maps and Compass Belt Loop and Astronomy Pin; Kalil Grenfield, Jr., Maps and Compass, Baseball Belt Loops, Campfire 2009; Jason Kalsoven, Maps and Compass Belt Loop and Astronomy Pin, Campfire 2009; Alex Marshall, Maps and Compass Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; Greg Marshall, Maps and Compass Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; and Eric Martin, Maps and Compass Belt Loop, Campfire 2009.

Wolves: Kyress Abram, Archery, Wildlife Conservation Belt Loops, Campfire 2009; Thomas Bailey, Wildlife Conservation Belt Loop; Declan Berard, Campfire 2009; Nathan Hawks, Wildlife Conservation Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; Jacob Hussey, Wildlife Conservation Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; Brian McKenzie, Campfire 2009; Nicholas Mulvey, Wildlife Conservation Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; Sam Underwood, Wildlife Conservation Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; and Shayne Wimbush, Wildlife Conservation Belt Loop, Campfire 2009.

Bears: Garrett Brown, Gold ArrowHead, Swimming Belt Loop, Campfire 2009; Evan Candey, Campfire 2009; John Commins, Bear Rank, Baseball, Basketball, Swimming Belt Loops and Pins, Campfire 2009; Matt Dirkerson, Campfire 2009; Jaden Dirksen, Campfire 2009; Alexander LaBeach, Campfire 2009; Rafael Martins, Bear Rank, Gold ArrowHead, 3 Silver ArrowHeads, Whittling Chip, Campfire 2009; and Joshua Sanderson, Silver ArrowHead, Badminton Belt Loop, Heritages Pin, Whittling Chip, Campfire 2009.

The kids performed skits, sang songs and were promoted to the next den for new achievements to work on next year. They also enjoyed S'Mores while sitting by the campfire. The campfire agenda, which was being planned by the late Brodie Frederick, III, followed through on his suggestion of doing a flag retirement.

The group closed out the evening with a ceremony in his memory with Veronica, his wife, and Eric, his son, placing the stars on the fire in a moment of



PHOTO BY GERI HAWKS

New Webelos are shown presenting the graduating Wolves their Bear neckerchiefs.

silence.

Supporters

Cub Scout Pack 202 received support from the Scouts' parents, the kids themselves, American Legion Post 136, Greenbelt Police, Greenbelt Elementary School and many others. Cub Scouting involves a variety of family activities, encourages good behavior, teaches lifelong values, strengthens the bonds of family and lets the kids have fun while learning.

Cub Scouting is open to all boys in first through fifth grade.

For more information email cubinfo@pack202.org and check out the pack's website at www.pack202.org.

The pack will have some activities this summer and are making plans for 2009-2010 to include the Greenbelt Labor Day Parade, Scouting for Food, Pine-wood Derby, Ski Trip, Campout and more. Gary Sanderson is CubMaster; the pack meets at the Greenbelt Community Church.


Gary Sanderson is the cub-master for Greenbelt Cub Scout Pack 202.




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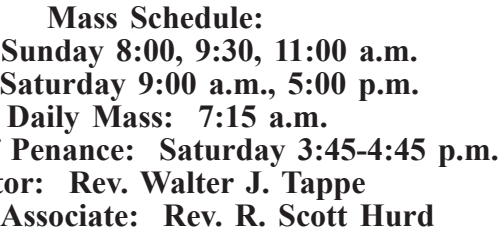
June 21, 10 a.m.

"The Feminine Divine: Equality in Ancient Times" by Shantida, Worship Associate

There was a time when women and men both spoke for the Divine and this equality was reflected in the everyday culture of their lives. We will explore some ideas about the Feminine Divine, equality and how our lives might be different.



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The South Laurel Recreation Council will offer the 31st Annual Montpelier Summer Concert Series on Friday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Montpelier Mansion grounds at 9652 Muirkirk Road at Route 197 in Laurel. The first concert will be held on Friday, June 26 with the Oracle Band playing oldies, top 40 and classic rock. The free performances are on July 10, 17, 24, 31 and August 7.




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City Information

GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL MEETING June 22, 2009 - 8:00 p.m. Municipal Building

COMMUNICATIONS

Presentations

- MML “If I Were Mayor” County Finalists
- Introduction of MML Intern

Petitions and Requests (Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless Council waives its Standing Rules.)

Minutes of Council Meetings

Administrative Reports

Committee Reports

LEGISLATION

- Legislation to Modify the City’s Voting System
 - A. An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 8, “Elections” of the Greenbelt City Code in Order to Revise Section 8-1, “Precincts” For The Purpose Of Adding A New Precinct

- 2nd Reading, Adoption

B. A Resolution of The City of Greenbelt Adopted Pursuant to the Authority of Article Xi-E of The Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23a of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1957 Edition as Amended), Title, “Corporation-Municipal,” Subtitle “Home Rule” to Amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt Found, in Whole or in Part, in the Compilation of Municipal Charters of Maryland (1983 Edition As Amended), as Prepared by the Department of Legislative Services Pursuant to Chapter 77 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1983, by Adding a New Section 27a, Titled “Early Voting” (Charter Amendment Resolution No. 2009-1)

- 2nd Reading, Adoption

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- 2nd Reading, Adoption

- A Resolution to Repeal Resolution 1042 and Establish a New Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability (Green ACES) - Committee Name Change

- 2nd Reading, Adoption

- A Resolution to Repeal Resolution Number 1032 and Establish Service Charges for Garbage, Trash, and Recycling Collections in the City of Greenbelt, Maryland Effective July 1, 2009

- 2nd Reading, Adoption

- A Resolution for Re-Appropriation of Funds Within Departments in the General Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2009

- 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules

- 2nd Reading, Adoption

- A Resolution to Repeal Resolution 1034 and to Establish Admission Fees and Pass Rates for the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center, Effective September 8, 2009 - 1st Reading

- A Resolution to Authorize the Negotiated Purchase of Certain Goods and Services from Various Vendors as Enumerated Herein When Total Fiscal Year Purchases from Each Vendor Exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) - 1st Reading

- A Resolution to Revise the Fees Relating to the Exercise of Powers of the District Council in Regard to Design Standards, Landscaping Requirements, Parking and Loading Standards, Sign Design Standards, and Variances for Lot Size, Setback, and Other Similar Requirements

- 1st Reading

OTHER BUSINESS

- Recovery Act - Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Formula Program Award

- Safe Routes to School Program

- Proposed Signage at Doctor’s Community Hospital

- MML Legislative Requests for 2010

- *- County Legislation – CB-23-2009 (Special Exception for Check Cashing Businesses)

- *- Resignation from Advisory Group

MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public, and all interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required for any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 no later than 10am on the meeting day. Deaf individuals are advised to use MD RELAY at 711 or e-mail cmurray@greenbeltmd.gov to reach the City Clerk.

MEETINGS FOR JUNE 22-26

Monday, June 22 at 8:00pm **REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING** at Municipal Building. Live on Comcast 71, Verizon 21 and streaming live at www.greenbeltmd.gov

Wednesday, June 23 at 8:00pm, **CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION with Prince George’s County Economic Development Corp. (stakeholder)**, at Community Center

This schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000 or contact the City Clerk at cmurray@greenbeltmd.gov.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Greenbelt Board of Appeals

Variance # 09-001-V

Notice is hereby given that the Greenbelt Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on July 1, 2009 at 7:00 pm in the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, Suite 200, Greenbelt MD on a variance application filed by Suzanne J. Krofchik for consideration of a request for a variance on premises located at 6 Fayette Place, Greenbelt, MD. The applicant is requesting a variance of 4.5 feet from front yard setback requirement for the purpose of constructing a roof over an existing concrete stoop. For additional information please contact the Greenbelt Department of Planning and Community Development at (301) 345-5417.

INVITATION TO BID

The City of Greenbelt, Maryland, invites sealed bids for furnishing the following:

Replastering of the Main Indoor Pool at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center

This Work is to be done at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center – 101 Centerway, Greenbelt, MD 20770. Interested bidders may pick up a bid specifications package for Bid 2009-2 at:

City of Greenbelt Finance Office

25 Crescent Road

Greenbelt, MD 20770

Please call the Joe McNeal at (301) 397-2200 regarding bid submission questions. Bids must be RECEIVED no later than 7/08/09 at 10 a.m.

Bids will be opened publicly at 10:10 a.m. on 7/08/09.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2010 BUDGET

for the

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BUILDING CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

CEMETERY FUND

DEBT SERVICE FUND

REPLACEMENT FUND

SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND

GREEN RIDGE HOUSE FUND

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

2001 BOND FUND

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUND

GREENBELT WEST INFRASTRUCTURE FUND

At its regular meeting of June 8, 2009, the City Council of Greenbelt, Maryland, adopted the City’s budget for Fiscal Year 2010, thereby approving expenditures as follows:

General Fund	\$ 25,314,400
Building Capital Reserve Fund	630,000
Cemetery Fund	0
Debt Service Fund	925,000
Replacement Fund	250,000
Special Projects Fund	815,000
Green Ridge House Fund	1,292,100
Capital Projects Fund	1,514,100
2001 Bond Fund	657,374
Community Development Block Grant Fund	230,000
Greenbelt West Infrastructure Fund	107,166

Copies of the adopted budget document will be available for examination no later than September 2010 at the City Offices at 25 Crescent Road, at the Greenbelt Library at 11 Crescent Road, and on the Greenbelt Citylink Web site (www.greenbeltmd.gov).

VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

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Environmental Sustainability,

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Committee, Forest Preserve

Advisory Board, Arts Advisory

Board, Community Relations

Recovery Act/Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Award

The City of Greenbelt is to receive an award in the amount of \$26,499 in Recovery Act/Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) funds.

It is the intent of the Police Department to purchase and install interoperable portable, mobile or fixed police radio equipment. Questions and/or comments can be made by calling 240-542-2105, or through email at doneil@greenbeltmd.gov.

GREENBELT ANIMAL SHELTER PETS OF THE MONTH



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way. Ridership is estimated to be higher with light rail. Rail cars can last twice as long as buses.

Grassy tracks on pervious surfaces are under consideration for light rail, while BRT would use existing, impervious roadways which negatively impact storm water runoff and attendant pollution of waterways.

Local Sierra Club chapters, the Natural Resources Defense Council, the Chesapeake Bay Foundation and AAA Mid-Atlantic are among non-government entities that support the inner light-rail alignment.

Roberts' Dissent

The letter before council reaffirmed Greenbelt's prior support of the Purple Line light rail. It also expressed concern about the potential for negative impact on the Capital Crescent Trail, especially on its trees, and urged the use of approaches that would "minimize any impacts using best practices and great sensitivity to the environment."

Roberts moved to amend the letter to say "minimize any impacts including tunneling, alignment changes, using best practices and great sensitivity to the environment." Councilmember Konrad Herling seconded the motion, "for the sake of discussion."

Mayor Judith Davis spoke against spelling out specifics, saying the letter as written essentially says the same thing. She said the things Roberts suggested including were already on the table and it is not in Greenbelt's purview to suggest them. She

was reluctant to have the city appear to call for increasing the cost of the project.

Addresses Inequities

Councilmember Leta Mach agreed, adding that the Purple Line will address inequities between the two counties and the social issues of moving people in Prince George's County to jobs in Montgomery County. She argued against setting up roadblocks in the way of this, since she thought the people of Prince George's County have waited long enough. She reminded Roberts that the important thing for the environment is to get cars off the road. Mach emphasized that construction should begin in Prince George's County.

Mach also pointed out that the country club had been encroaching on the right-of-way for years and approved of the county's right to take it back.

Roberts said others were overlooking the importance of standing by and supporting a "fellow municipality." He noted the heavy use of the trail by people from around the region, saying the issue goes beyond Chevy Chase and the country club. There is no reason to put expediency before a good outcome, Roberts said.

Davis responded that a number of municipalities also support the current proposal. Roberts said he also strongly supports light rail transit but it has to be done the right way.

He said the current proposal

removes much of the tree canopy, which includes 100-year-old trees. On the three-mile section of the trail in question, he said there would be no trees left. (Estimates of tree loss vary widely. Save the Trail estimates 4,500 trees would be clear cut. Hofstra's notes say an estimate of 500 trees lost may be excessive.)

Davis noted that the trail would be improved under the current proposal. It would be widened and she had heard someone refer to the trail as "dangerous" on weekends because of the number of cyclists, hikers and other users.

Roberts disputed these comments and said Greenbelt should be about protecting a beautiful place such as this trail, which he equated with a park. He said it would be bad for Greenbelt to support the destruction of this trail, admonishing Davis for her position, given her pride in Greenbelt's extensive tree cover.

Roberts said Davis could not be a friend of the environment and send the letter as it was. Davis said she took "serious umbrage" at this statement and refused to believe that Roberts meant what he said. She and Mach reiterated their commitment to the environment.

Herling expressed understanding for Roberts' position but said he was comforted by the word, "minimize." He pointed out that specifying the means of minimizing impact might give the im-

pression that Greenbelt was only supporting those approaches when there could be others that would achieve the desired result.

Roberts' amendment was then called to a vote but he was the sole supporter. Council then voted to send the letter to the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments Transportation Planning Board, with copies to Maryland's Secretary of Transportation and Greenbelt's legislative delegates.

Robin Everly also contributed to this article.

City Notes

Refuse and Recycling collected 38.96 tons of refuse and 16.20 tons of co-mingled recyclable materials.

CARES

Howard University MSW student Alison Barnett will intern in the GAIL program for the 2009-10 academic year. She has a background in documentary filmmaking.

Korede Oladapo, a University of Maryland graduating senior in the family studies program, will spend the summer and fall as a student intern in the vocational/educational program.



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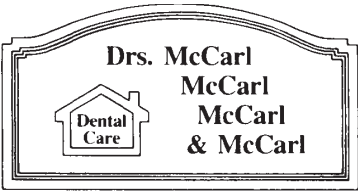


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		Clearfield American Cheese	\$4⁹⁹ _{lb.}	Marie Callender's Large Pot Pies Assorted 16.5 oz.	\$2⁵⁰
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Robberies

June 6, 9:45 a.m., 6200 block Springhill Drive, a deliveryman was approached by two men who demanded the pizza he was carrying. He dropped the delivery bag and the men picked it up and fled on foot. The suspects are described as a black male of unknown age, 5'9", 150 pounds, black hair, brown eyes, wearing a white shirt and jeans; and a black male of unknown age, 5'7", 140 pounds, black hair, brown eyes, wearing a blue shirt.

June 8, 1:06 a.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive, a person was approached by a man armed with a gun who demanded money. He took the victim's wallet and cell-phone and fled on foot. The suspect is described as a black male, 18 to 20 years of age, 5'10", 160 pounds, wearing all black clothes and a black ski mask.

Disorderly Conduct

June 10, 3:26 p.m., 7600 block Hanover Parkway, a resident woman was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct. She was released on citation pending trial.

Burglaries

June 5, 10:32 p.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace, cash and credit cards were reported taken.

June 5, 11:15 p.m., 6200 block Breezewood Drive, it was reported that a DVD player was taken.

June 8, 3:40 p.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Lane, unknown suspect(s) attempted to enter a residence using a key.

June 10, 5:50 p.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive, a computer, a television, jewelry, a game system, and games were among the items reported taken.

Vehicle Crimes

The following vehicles were reported stolen: a black 2003 Chevrolet Suburban, DC tags CW6710 from the 5800 block Cherrywood Lane; a red 1999

Police Make Arrest In Robbery, Assault

On Tuesday, June 17 at approximately 4:55 p.m., three males approached a resident youth and knocked him to the ground in the area of the Spellman Overpass by Gardenway. The suspects assaulted the youth, stole his cell phone and iPod and fled the scene. The youth was able to flag down an officer on patrol in the area who apprehended one of the suspects. The other two were able to flee the area on foot.

The apprehended suspect, a nonresident youth, was later petitioned and released to the Department of Juvenile Services for strong arm robbery, second degree assault and resisting arrest. The two other suspects are described as a black male, 16 to 18 years old, 5'10" to 6'2", 150 to 170 lbs., black hair, brown eyes, wearing a black T-shirt and blue jeans; and a black male, 16 to 18 years old, 5'7" to 5'9", 140 to 160 lbs., wearing a white T-shirt and blue jeans. The victim sustained minor injuries. The incident was captured on the newly-installed Spellman Overpass security cameras.

Jeep Cherokee Sport, Maryland tags 16694M7 from the 6100 block Breezewood Court; and a blue 2000 Nissan Quest, Maryland tags 809M256 from the 8100 block Mandan Terrace. Attempts to steal vehicles were reported at 6000 block Springhill Drive (two incidents) and 6100 block Breezewood Drive.

Theft from vehicles was reported in the following areas: 6500 block Lake Park Drive (handicap placard); 7300 block Sunrise Court (cash, gift cards); 6200 block Springhill Court (rear Maryland tag 8BLS91); 7800 block Hanover Parkway (GPS); 6700 block Springshire Way (loose change); 6500 block Springcrest Drive (GPS, a purse, eyeglasses). Two attempted thefts occurred at 9100 block Edmonston Court.

Festival Notes

Entertainment

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Carnival Rides

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Pageant

This year's theme for the Miss Greenbelt Pageant is "Chicago." Registration for the Pageant has begun. To sign up or for more information go to www.miss-greenbelt.com. Contestants are meeting Saturday, June 20 at 10 a.m. at the Community Center. Pre-registration online is request-

ed. There are two fundraisers planned for the Pageant. On July 27 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Five Guys on Greenbelt Road, mention the Miss Greenbelt Pageant when ordering and a portion of the cost will go to the Miss Greenbelt Scholarship. Also, on August 1 there will be Basket/Bag Bingo at the firehouse. Doors will open at noon.

Publicity

The Committee is looking for an intern to help with publicity for the Festival. To get more information email laborday@greenbelt.com.

Outstanding Citizen

The search has begun for Outstanding Citizen 2009. A nomination form is available in this paper on page 12 or online at www.greenbelt.com.

Festival Notes are submitted by Paula Clinedinst.

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In Memoriam: Remembering Jim Williamson

by Sandra A. Lange

James Marion Williamson, 77, died of lymphoma on April 25. His wife of 47 years, Mary Lou Williamson, described him as “quiet, self-contained, a bit shy.” A retired NASA engineer, “he could talk about the stars or spin a yo-yo,” Mary Lou said at his memorial service on May 30.

Jim is remembered most for the respectful way he treated people and for his great love of family. Daughter Margaret Williamson described how “he felt strongly that everyone deserved respect. Your friends, your family and people you don’t know Respect their right to live freely. Respect their choices. Don’t interfere or impose.”

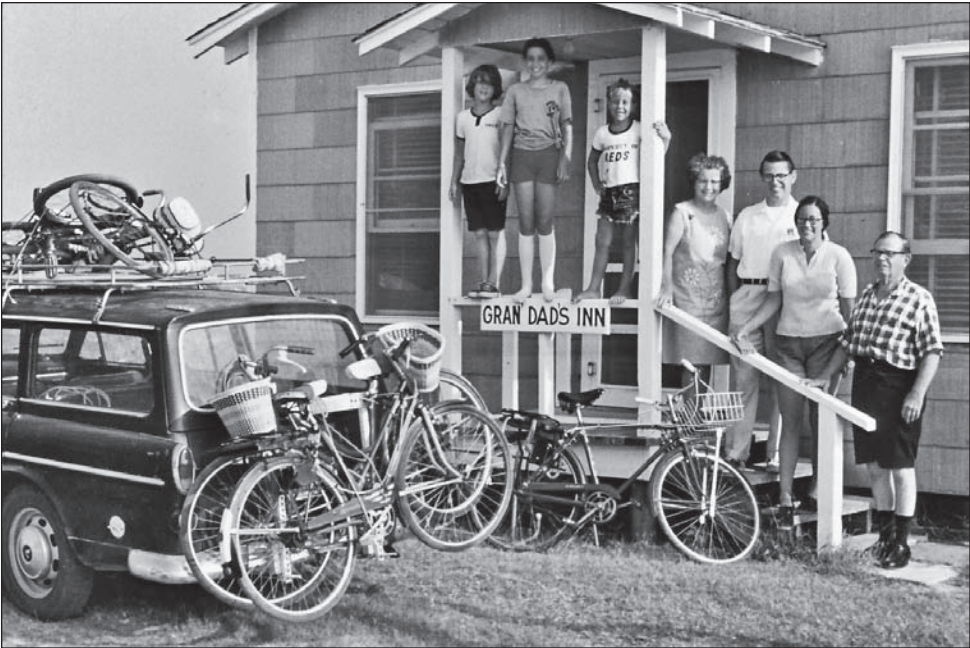
She said that her dad instructed her always to “do the right thing If you can’t do it right, then don’t do it” In the end, she said, he made the decision not to prolong his life with chemotherapy and other invasive treatments and his family was called upon to respect his wishes.

During his final weeks Jim was reluctant to have his grandchildren visit and see him in a weakened condition. But he later changed his mind. Son Peter Williamson recalled the advice his dad gave them. “He told them that success is not a monetary thing where you try to get the biggest salary, nor is it in having the most money and it is not about possessions.

“He measured success as the development of relationships between people and how you interact with the ones you love.” He advised Peter “to respect your kids . . . allow them to succeed and allow them to fail”

Jim enjoyed most the one-on-one encounters with his children and their children. His older daughter, Carolyn Jolly, remembers four years ago when her dad volunteered to go on a long car ride to Iowa with her family, including three young children and an infant. Carolyn had rented an RV and Jim enjoyed his role as the nanny entertaining the kids, playing cards and other games and sharing the driving.

To grandniece Sophia Kean, who joined the Williamson household when she was six years old, the relationship with “Pop” was



The “Porcupino” car with bicycles and lawn chairs being tied on the back and top at Holden Beach. The Williamson family stops to pose for a photo before finishing packing. From left Peter, Carolyn, Margaret, Elizabeth (Jim’s mother), Jim, Mary Lou and Marion Williamson (Jim’s father). August 1973. – photo by Otis Shealy

bittersweet. He taught her to swim and ride a bike and even helped her once to bake an apple pie for a homework assignment.

Sophia acknowledged that there were differences but felt she was bridging the gap as she got older. Jim shared with her his love of learning about new technologies. “He was the first to tell me about the ability to play movies on computers,” she said.

Jim was also one of the first persons around who had a GPS and he took great delight in not asking for directions to anyone’s house. He was also a very practical man. He couldn’t understand why this writer wanted to replace the perfectly good baby blue tile in the kitchen just because she didn’t like the color.

Army Buddy

For more than half a century Jim maintained a close friendship with the person he called “my buddy,” Bill Stange. They met while both served in the Army in the mid-1950s and they traveled together on a number of occasions. Both worked at Goddard and they ate lunch together often, exchanging information about cars, electronics and investments.

Stange recalled Jim’s playful side during their Army days. One time Jim put a dandelion in the end of his rifle during formation and was threatened with a court martial. The officer backed off, however, when he discovered that Jim’s father was a two-star general.

On another occasion, they both were unhappy about the hours they had to spend in the roll call line-up at sunset. Jim had the idea of getting the barracks orderly to

put on a recording of taps, which worked well; they were dismissed earlier than usual. When the commanding officer heard the real bugler play taps, Jim imperceptibly claimed the music was an echo.

After the Army the two enjoyed traveling together. During their trip through Mexico, the car radiator boiled over while they were in the middle of the desert. Not having any water, they put soda and urine in the radiator. When the water pump gave out and they sought help from a mechanic, the man commented that something smelled like poop. Jim told him he was in the right direction but the wrong end.

To the grandchildren, Jim was known affectionately as Pop or Pop-Pop. The oldest, Mary Helen, 14, described Pop as very family-oriented. He never complained about driving often from Greenbelt to Atlanta to see them. “He was very generous with money,” she noted but he cautioned her to put her savings in a credit union, which he regarded as safe. He was rewarding her straight-A school work.

Family Ties

His cousin Robin Jackson reiterated the importance of family ties to Jimmy, as she called him. He always made the effort to get the family together for dinners and picnics. “Every time he and Mary Lou came to Atlanta to visit their children, they would call us [all the cousins],” she reminisced. “He was the glue that kept the family together,” she said.

Another cousin, Barry Graham, praised Jim’s strong sense of duty that compelled him to drive frequently from Greenbelt to Atlanta to care for his aging mother. “He was just a great guy, smart as a whip,” Graham exclaimed.

Still another cousin, Malcolm Shealy, admired Jim’s work on the space program at Goddard. He remembers visiting the Williamsons in 1971 and touring the Goddard Space Flight Center, seeing “big rooms full of tape drives and computers and a control room that looked like something out of Star Trek,” he said.

“One year, we all went to the beach and Jim and Mary Lou came in their old Volvo station wagon,” Shealy recalls. “They had the whole family inside and

bicycles and lawn chairs on the back and roof. It [the car] looked like a porcupine,” he exclaimed.

Family and friends knew Jim as a thrifty person. He preferred to buy used cars and drove them until they would no longer run. He loved to buy books at Borders but only if he had a discount coupon. He bought new clothes infrequently and only if they were on sale.

Noise

Jim often felt uncomfortable in large groups of people or with noisy children. He was known to escape

whenever possible. Mira Batra, who lived in the same court as the Williamsons on Ridge Road for many years, remembers asking why Mr. Williamson was locked in his car in the parking lot. “For peace and quiet,” was the reply.

Nor was he always a very patient person. Mary Lou remembers that “more than once I got left behind when I was busy with some project and Jim was ready to go.”

“He was a voracious reader,” Mary Lou said, “and our house is full of books – thousands and he’d read them all and could talk on any subject. Last fall, he told his doctors he knew he was sick because he could no longer read all day,” she concluded.


Jim Williamson was a private man, a complex person who was sometimes grumpy, impatient and stubborn. But he will be remembered for the traits that most exemplify his life, his devotion to his family, his great sense of honor and his abiding respect for people.



Carolyn Jolly, Peter and Margaret Williamson at Greenbelt Cemetery, May 30, 2009. – photo by Anne Shanaman



Jim Williamson, Pop-pop, keeps a steady hand on grandson Alex Jolly’s stroller pushed by big brother Brant Jolly on the road crossing Fontana Dam near the Williamson’s mountain house, in Western North Carolina. August 2004. – photo by Til Jolly



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